

1 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
2 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

3 Isaiah S. Neal,

4 Plaintiff

5 v.

6 Secretary Barbara M. Barrett, Department of
7 the Air Force, et al.,

8 Defendants

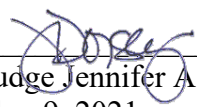
Case No.: 2:20-cv-02281-JAD-NJK

Order Granting Extension of Time

[ECF Nos. 17, 19]

9 Plaintiff Isaiah S. Neal asks for an additional 60 days to respond to the defendants'
10 motion to dismiss.¹ He argues that he requires this time to find counsel to assist him.² Although
11 the defendants do not oppose an extension of time, they contend that 60 days is unreasonably
12 long.³

13 Because Neal is representing himself and needs additional time to prepare an appropriate
14 response, I find good cause for some extension of the deadline. But 60 days is too long,
15 considering that Neal filed this case a year ago and has had that time to seek an attorney. IT IS
16 THEREFORE ORDERED that the motion to extend time [ECF No. 19] is **GRANTED in part**.
17 **Neal's deadline to respond to the motion to dismiss [ECF No. 17] is extended by 30 days to**
18 **January 5, 2022.**

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21 U.S. District Judge Jennifer A. Dorsey
22 Dated: December 9, 2021

22 ¹ ECF No. 17.

23 ² ECF No. 19.

³ ECF No. 20.